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AMUSEMENTS.

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The Ladies of the Reformed Episcopal Church will hold a Conversazione on

Tuesday Evening, March 18th

AT 8 O'CLOCK.

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Tickets, including Lady and Gentleman, $5; Extra Lady's ticket, $1. May be had of T. N. Hibben & Co., or any member of the Hospital building committee.

MRS. A. J. SMITH, President.
mc14-1m MRS. M. YOUNG, Secretary.

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THE B. C. Association for the Investigation of Spiritualism, will hold their Anniversary Social and dance in Harmony Hall, on Wednesday evening, March 26th. An excellent programme has been arranged. Supper will be provided by the ladies of the association.

Profs. Kaufman and Sharpe's orchestra has been engaged for the dance and a good time is expected.

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N. B.—President Fell will deliver the anniversary address on Sunday evening, March 30. All are invited. m.c15

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F. G. VERNON.
Chief Commissioner of Lands & W'ks.
Lands and Works Department,
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F. G. VERNON,
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Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, B. C., 17th March, 1890. m18

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CAPITAL NOTES.

Correspondence Presented re. the Jesuits' Estates Act.

The House will Investigate Rykert's Timber Deals.

Safe Delivery of Registered Letters will not be Guaranteed—Irish-Conservatives Celebrate.

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

OTTAWA, Ont., March 17.—The Rykert affair was discussed again to-night, when Sir John Thompson, in a calm, judicial speech, said that it would be in keeping with the dignity of the House to accord Rykert fair play before passing judgment upon him. The opposition leader therefore assented to the matter being referred to the committee on privileges at elections. The Minister of Justice says that the revelations contained in the Rykert letters are shocking, and it is fully believed that censure will be passed on the member for Lincoln.

Correspondence dealing with the reference of the Jesuits' Estates Act to the law officers of the crown was brought down this afternoon. They simply give as their opinion that the act was within the competence of the legislature, and say that there is no need to refer to the judicial committee. No reasons are assigned by which the opinion was reached.

The Postmaster-General says the Government does not intend to guarantee the safe delivery of money sent in registered letters.

The Irish Conservatives in parliament signalized St. Patrick's Day by presenting Lady Macdonald with a beautiful majolica vase valued at $500 as a token of their high esteem.

The Crown law officers have decided that the action of Trinity College, Toronto, in granting musical degrees in England is ultra vires, being in contravention of the terms of its charter.

PROVINCIAL LEGISLATURE.

Fifth Parliament—Fourth Session.

TWENTY-NINTH DAY.

MONDAY, March 17.

The Speaker took the chair at 2:05 p. m.

Prayers by Rev. Dr. Reid.

A PETITION.

Mr. Smith presented the petition of certain residents of Empire valley in reference to road improvements. Tabled.

SAML. GREER'S CLAIM.

Mr. Smith laid before the House the following report from the special committee appointed to investigate Samuel Greer's claim:

MR. SPEAKER—Your committee beg respectfully to report as follows:

On Friday, 14th March, the committee met at 11 a. m. Mr. Aikman appeared for the C.P.R. Co., and Mr. Hett for Mr Greer. Hon. Mr. Vernon attended before the committee and stated that the Government had considered the recommendation in the report of 1888, and came to the conclusion that Mr. Greer had no claim to the land, that he thought there was no correspondence on the subject of the report with Mr. Greer or the railway company, that Mr. Greer was not notified that the government had co sidered the matter and would take no action, and that the Government would place no opposition to the matter coming before the courts. Mr. Greer stated that he had received no communication on the matter from the government since the adoption of the report of April 27, 1888; that he had made no compromise with the railway company, and that an action was still going on. The Hon. Mr. Vernon thought that he was not entitled to give reasons for the government refusing to recognize Mr. Greer's claim, and the committee are therefore unable to give any further explanation of the action of the government, and not being aware of any reasons why Mr. Greer should not receive a title to the land we respectfu ly suggest to the government that they may be pleased to reconsider the matter and afford protection to Mr Greer's interests at as early a day as possible.

All of which is respectfully submitted.
(Signed) A. W. SMITH, Chairman.
G. W. ANDERSON,
GEORGE THOMSON,
JAMES TOLMIE,
JOHN GRANT.

The report was received.

LICENSES

Mr. Grant moved the House into committee of the whole, Mr. Tolmie in the chair, upon the following resolution: "That it is desirable to amend the Municipal Act so as to impose a license not exceeding $100 per annum upon express companies, gas companies, telephone companies, electric light companies, street railway companies, investment and loan societies, fur dealers or fur traders or agents of fur dealers or fur traders."

The resolution was reported to the House, and was by the House adopted.

NELSON AND KOOTENAY RAILWAY.

Col. Baker at the request of the promoters of the Nelson & Kootenay Lake Railway bill asked that the order for the second reading be discharged.

TOLMIE'S CATTLE BILL.

Mr. Tolmie introduced a bill entitled "A bill for the benefit of livery stable keepers, farmers and agistors of cattle." Bill read a first time; second reading Wednesday.

FOR THE PUBLIC SAFETY.

Mr. Tolmie asked leave to introduce a bill to prevent minors from carrying firearms. Leave granted; bill read a first time. Second reading on Wednesday.

RIVER IMPROVEMENT.

Hon. Mr. Robson moved: "Whereas the waters of the Fraser river are, in several places in New Westminster district, making alarming and destructive inroads upon its banks, thus not only doing great damage to the property of settlers and, in some instances, threatening to change the course of the river altogether, but seriously impairing navigation by the formation of bars by silt thus carried down the stream. Resolved, that a respectful address be presented to His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor, requesting that the Dominion Government may be moved to adopt such measures as may be deemed best for the protection of property and the preservation of the navigation of the important waterway in question."

In moving this resolution, Hon. Mr. Robson said that it was a matter of the greatest importance to the province. Last year, during a number of years in fact, serious inroads had been made by the water upon the south bank of the Fraser river; in some cases carrying away large areas of land. In one instance the river had destroyed a portion of the very centre of Chilliwhack; and last year serious inroads had been made at Sumas, where farms and farm buildings had been destroyed, one settler being completely isolated on a little island. It was the opinion of certain engineers, who were capable of forming an intelligent opinion, that should the river, as it threatened to, cut a new channel into Sumas lake it would ultimately find a new outlet through American territory, thereby losing to British Columbia fifty miles of the lower Fraser. The possibility of the river being deviated into a new channel, through American territory, was a question of serious importance not only to the province, but the entire Dominion. The refuse constantly being carried down the river was seriously endangering its navigation. Not long ago a settler had come to the Provincial government, and measures had been taken to remedy the evils he had complained of. The work had, however, proved a failure, the preparation not being of a sufficiently comprehensive character. The work was not one which should be undertaken by the province; the object of the resolution was to cause representations to be made to the federal government that would lead to a thorough examination of the river, and such improvements to it being made as would stop the encroachment of the water and preserve the important waterway in question.

Mr. Cunningham seconded the resolution, and supplemented the remarks of the Premier with additional information in regard to the damage done by the encroachment of the river.

Mr. Ladner supported the resolution.

Mr. Orr also endorsed the resolution.

Mr. Grant suggested that works for the protection of the Fraser should have been taken in hand long ago by the Government. Works similar to those on the Mississippi were required on the Fraser.

Hon. Mr. Robson, in closing the debate, said the works required were of immense magnitude, and properly devolved upon the Dominion Government.

The resolution carried unanimously.

ORDERED PRINTED.

Mr. Duck and Mr. Anderson moved "That the return to an address to his honor the Lieut.-Governor for copies of orders in council, correspondence, and reports relating to the application of Messrs. McNamee & Co. for a petition of right, Esquimalt graving dock claims, which return was presented to the House on the 13th inst., be printed and laid upon the desks of members." Carried.

AGRICULTURE AND HORTICULTURE.

Mr. Cunningham, in moving the second reading of a bill for the encouragement of horticulture and agriculture, dwelt upon the suitability of the land and climate of British Columbia for agriculture and fruit growing; and explained that an association had recently been formed at Westminster, which the object of the present bill was to incorporate.

The bill passed its second reading and was committed, with Mr. Thomson in the chair. The committee reported the bill complete with amendments.

LAID OVER.

Hon. Mr. Robson enquired of the leader of the opposition if he still preferred to lay over the consideration of the estimates until Tuesday, or was he able to take them up at once, as it would best suit the government to.

Hon. Mr. Beaven replied that Tuesday would best suit the opposition, and the budget speech was accordingly deferred.

PRIVILEGES.

Hon. Mr. Vernon rose to a question of privilege. From the report of the committed appointed to investigate Samuel Greer's claim it was evident that some misunderstanding existed. The report was not in accordance with the evidence submitted, nor were the remarks made by him (Hon. Mr. Vernon) accurately stated. Attention was especially directed to that portion of the committee's report in respect to the government's reasons for not recognizing Mr. Greer's claim. When the question was asked, Mayor Grant, one of the committee, stated that it was not compulsory for him to answer at all, as it was beyond the scope of the committee's authority. A discussion ensued and the question dropped. A carefully considered reply was required to the question and to ask him to give an answer off-hand was, as appears by the report of a previous committee, hardly fair; the question involved was one of both law and equity. He did not wish it to go abroad that the goverument refused to give their reasons for not recognizing Mr. Greer's claim. Before the House rose he would lay before the members the facts as fully as possible.

Mr. Grant admitted the correctness of the remarks of the Hon. Chief Commissioner.

ELECTIONS REGULATIONS.

On motion of Hon. Mr. Beaven the bill to amend the Elections' Regulation Act passed its second reading.

A NEW POLLING STATION.

Mr. Smith's resolution for the establishment of a polling station at E. M. Adams', on the North Thompson River, upon which the debate was adjourned, was adopted without further discussion.

ROYAL COLUMBIAN HOSPITAL.

The House went into committee, Mr. Haslam chairman, upon message and bill re. Royal Columbian Hospital lands. The committee reported the bill to the House, and it was read a first time.

B. C. ELECTRIC CO.

The B. C. Electric Co. bill (Mr. Cunningham) was read a third time.

PRIVILEGE.

Mr. Cunningham, before the House went into committee on the Westminster Street Railway bill, wished to address the House upon a question of privilege. When he brought this bill before the House, at the request of his constituents and of the council of New Westminster, he had also suggested several amendments. A resolution had been passed for his guidance at a public meeting held in New Westminster, and a copy of what purported to be that resolution was during the debate placed in the hands of the hon. member for Yale. The document was not the resolution passed, but the one rejected, and known to have been such by the parties who had imposed on the innocence of the member for Yale by placing it in his hands. He thought that for so insulting the House by imposing upon an hon. member, the perpetrators of the bogus resolution should be compelled to appear before the bar of the House, and there apologize.

Mr. Speaker asked if the member for Westminster city wished to have the parties who had furnished the "bogus resolution" referred to brought before the bar of the House.

Mr. Cunningham said that he had no personal feeling in the matter, and it thereupon dropped.

The bill was sent into committee, and was reported complete with amendments.

P. C. FIRE INSURANCE CO.

The House went into committee, Mr. Anderson in the chair, upon the Pacific Coast Fire Insurance bill. The committee rose, reporting progress.

NATIONAL ELECTRIC TRAMWAY.

With Mr. Semlin in the chair, the House went into committee on the National Electric Tramway Extension bill (Mr. Anderson). The bill was reported complete with amendments.

A QUESTION.

Mr. Semlin asked the leader of the Government when the return of voters, asked for by resolution, might be expected by the House.

Hon. Mr. Robson replied that the returns would probably all be in in the course of a few days.

Hon Mr. Davie introduced a bill respecting the administration of estates of deceased persons. Read a first time; second reading on Wednesday.

The House rose at 6 p.m.

CABLE NEWS.

The English Miners' Strike Becoming Serious.

Rioting in Liverpool, and the Military Called Out.

Rumor that Both Prince Bismarck and Count Herbert Bismarck Have Resigned—Excitement in Lisbon.

A Coal Famine.

LONDON, March 17. — The strike of miners has created a scarcity of coal. Several of the Lancashire mills have shut down because of the lack of coal, while others are running on short time. The attitude of the strikers varies according to the manner in which their demands are met by the masters.

Engineers on Strike.

LONDON, March 17. — Twenty thousand Tyneside engineers have gone on strike.

A Serious Fire.

BERNE, March 17. — The village of Gampel has been almost wholly destroyed by fire. Nearly three-fourths of the buildings are burned. The loss is very heavy. Many of the villagers are injured.

Welsh Miners Go Out.

LONDON, March 17. — Ten thousand miners in the northern districts of Wales have joined the strike.

New Hungarian Ministry.

BUDA PESTH, March 17.—A new Hungarian ministry is officially announced, with Count Szapary as premier in place of M. Tiszca. The premier also assumes the portfolio of the interior. M. Bethlen becomes minister of agriculture, the office formerly held by County Szapary. With these exceptions the personnel of the old cabinet is unchanged.

Lord Churchill's Speech.

LONDON, March 17.—Lord Randolph Churchill's recent speech against the reception of the Parnell commission report has been published. In a note added to it Lord Randolph says the charge of disloyalty which some partisans have brought against him might more forcibly be urged against those who forced parliament into the appointment of the commission, a measure which, as shown by its history and results, has obviously dealt a heavy blow at the Conservative cause and party. His chief objections to the scheme were: First. The offer of a commission of enquiry was, to a large extent, a recognition of the wisdom of the accused in avoiding a trial by jury. Second. It was unprecedented, unwise and illegal to engage judges of courts in a political conflict. The certain result of so doing was to cause a loss of respect for the bench.

The Morsa Mine Flooded.

LONDON March 17.—The renewal of the fire in the Morsa mine makes it necessary to flood the mine, and no more bodies can be recovered. Forty-three bodies had been taken out before the fire started.

Joined the Strikers.

LIVERPOOL, March 17.—The Liverpool coal carters have joined the miners strike.

Brunswick Coal Strike Settled.

BERLIN, March 17.—The coal miners strike in Brunswick has been settled by the operators conceding a small increase of wages to the miners. One hundred Poles who were prominent in the strike have, however, been discharged by the mine owners.

Ill-Treatment of Soldiers.

LONDON, March 17.—The edict of Emperor William, commanding that the ill-treatment of common soldiers by officers be punished, has borne good fruit in several recent instances. The most notable case is that of Lieut. Hochmuth, who has been imprisoned at Breslan on a four months' sentence for cruelty to privates.

Price of Coal Advancing.

LONDON, March 17.—The miners' strike will, it is thought, be of short duration; but even a short stoppage of operations will cause a serious derangement of industries. If the strike lasts even one week scores of factories will have to be shut down, throwing many thousands of persons out of work. The price of coal is advancing rapidly.

The Church and the Conference.

BERLIN, March 17.—Emperor William, in a letter to the Pope, informs him that he has appointed Bishop Kopp of Berlin, one of the delegates to represent Germany at the labor conference, and asserts that he depends upon the support of the Catholic clergy in settling the social question. In replying to the letter, the Pope thanked the Emperor for appointing Bishop Kopp, and declared that himself and the Church had always been interested in the question, which, he said, would be best solved by the application of principles advocated by a Christian people, which were Sunday rest and religious education.

The Labor Conference.

BERLIN, March 17.—The labor conference has appointed three committees on work. Of these, the committee on mines will be presided over by Dr. Hauchecome, director of mines; the committee on Sunday labor by Bishop Kopp, with Danish Delegate Tietgen as vice-president, and the committee on labor of women and children by M. Jules Simon, with Herr Schnierer, Hungarian delegate, as vice-president. The Emperor will receive the delegates at 5 o'clock to-morrow afternoon, and after a reception will entertain them at a banquet in a private gallery of the palace.

Obituary.

LONDON, March 17.—Thos. Gray, late a delegate from Great Britain to the Maritime Conference at Washington, is dead.

Riots in Liverpool.

LIVERPOOL, March 17.—The striking dock laborers have become riotous. Thirty thousand of them marched through the streets in procession and assumed an attitudy so threatening that the magistracy were impelled to invoke the aid of the military, which has been called out.

The Miners Demands Refused.

LONDON, March 17.—A conference between the coal mine owners of Lancashire, Yorkshire, Staffordshire, Derbyshire and North Wales took place today. As a result of its deliberation the conference decided to refuse the demands of the men for an immediate advance of five per cent. in their wages, with a further increase of five per cent. to go into operation in July next. The conference then designated representatives to meet a committee of operatives on Thursday next. These representatives are instructed to endeavor to secure concerted action looking toward the establishment of such methods and regulations as will prevent further strikes.

Rumor About Emin.

LONDON, March 17.—It is stated that Emin Pasha will shortly withdraw formally from the service of Egypt.

Rumored Resignation of Bismarck.

BERLIN, March 17.—It is stated this evening that both Prince Bismarck and Count Herbert Bismarck have resigned, and that the Emperor has accepted the resignation of the Chancellor.

Excitement in Lisbon.

LISBON, March 17.—The action of acting British Consul Buchanan in hoisting and saluting the British flag in the Shire district has created great excitement here. The Government is in receipt of advices from Mozambique stating that Buchanan had with him a large force of natives well armed and officered by Europeans. The Government has formally protested to England against such an act. The British legation here is strongly guarded to prevent an attack upon it by the excited populace. The cabinet is in session.

CANADIAN NEWS.

The Morton Murderer.

WINNIPEG, Man., March 17.—The jury in the case of Robert Morton, aged 93, who murdered his son and daughter-in-law at Miami last month, to-day brought in a verdict that the accused was insane. He was committed to jail.

New Brunswick Legislature.

FREDERICKTON, N. B., March 17.—Premier Blair took the wind completely out of the sails of the opposition by giving notice of a series of resolutions touching a reduction of 25 a thousand in stumpage. The opposition had not believed the government would bring the matter up so early in the session, and were preparing to make a big onslaught on them on this question.

The Toronto University.

TORONTO, March 17.—Sir Donald Smith has subscribed one thousand dollars to the new university library fund. Thirty-two thousand dollars have been subscribed thus far in addition to donations of value and books.

The Benwell Murder.

WOODSTOCK, Ont., March 17.—The excitement over the murder of Benwell and arrest of Burchill is to a large extent dying out. The people are beginning to turn their attention more to the evil system of pupil farming which has been practised very extensively in this section of the province.

IMPORTANT CONCESSION.

The Dominion Rights in Foreshores Handed Over to the Provincial Governments.

Sir John Thompson in introducing his bill authorizing the transfer of certain public property to the Provincial Governments, said that it was well known that the rights of the Dominion and the Provinces in foreshores and in the beds of rivers and lakes, as well as harbors, had been in dispute. The litigation on the subject had been carried on by private parties, and the decision given had established the rights in foreshores to be in some respects in the Dominion and in some respects in the Provinces. For various reasons it was desirable that these territorial rights should be vested in and administered by the Provinces as part of the public lands. The reasons were partly because the administration of property of this character requires constant local supervision, the registration of plans, etc., which on the part of the Dominion would require a staff of officers in every part of the Dominion, and they would be in constant danger of conflict with authority. Reserving the Dominion's right in any land obtained for the erection of a public work and sufficient in connection with any existing public works, it was proposed to authorize the Governor-General in Council to make a transfer of these territorial rights to the Provinces.

In reply to Mr. Mitchell, Sir John Thompson stated that this applied to both navigable and non-navigable waters. That no particular emergency had arisen calling for this legislation, but 15 or 16 years ago the Supreme Court of Canada had decided that all harbors of the Dominion, whether natural or otherwise, were vested in the Dominion, and this had been followed by various decisions to the effect that provincial governments were incapable of granting even the site of a wharf. This led to constant complications, and this government was constantly applied to for new patents or for confirmation of patents granted by the provinces. The existing state of affairs was a constant source of friction between the Dominion and the provinces. Correspondence had taken place with the Governments of Quebec and Ontario, and, instead of contesting the matter in the Courts, it was deemed better to offer this solution of the question. All the rights of the Dominion which it was desirable to preserve would be preserved and all rights of ownership also. He explained further that a foreshore as provided for by the bill meant all the land below high-water mark.

Mr. Blake said, so far as could be judged from the explanation given, he thought the bill a highly commendable one, and suggested that the correspondence referred to by the minister should be laid on the table.

Sir John Thompson promised to comply with this suggestion. In reply to Mr. Jones, he explained that the correspondence with the provinces of Ontario and Quebec had been mainly in the assertions of provincial rights by these governments. There had been no correspondence with the governments of the maritime provinces on the question. The proposal in the bill was to grant rights to the provinces, not to take them away.

THE LIBRARIAN.

TO THE EDITOR:—In a letter that appeared in your issue of Sunday last year correspondent, Mr. H. R. A. Pocock, evidently refers to me, although he does not mention my name.

Permit me, therefore, to inform him through your columns, that in my complaint to the municipal council I did not ask that a new appointment be made for librarian, and I have not at any time entertained or expressed a wish for the removal of the present incumbent.

I would advise Mr. Pocock in future to be quite certain that his information is correct before he rushes into print with a statement that is incorrect and without foundation. C. E. REDFERN.

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EUROPEAN GOSSIP.

Determined Attitude of the Striking Miners.

Only Forty-Two Bodies Recovered From the Morsa Colliery.

Continental Opinion of the New French Ministry—A Lumber Combine Formed in Bavaria.

THE GREAT STRIKE.

LONDON, March 17.—Just as Kaiser Wilhelm's unique labor conference opens at Berlin, to attempt a settlement of the questions affecting the work and wages of miners, one of the greatest miniag strikes on record has opened in England. The coincidence indicates at least that English mine laborers have no faith in the outcome of the international confab, and do not care enough for it to even wait for the conclusion of its deliberations. And in this attitude, it must candidly be said, the humble miner is for once in line with the most experienced business men and the most eminent thinkers. No one has yet been found anywhere outside of the German Emperor's entourage who believes that any practical result will be reached by the conference. While the delegates of the great powers are talking about the needs of the miners and the rights of the mine owners, a quarter of a million miners in England will be making a physical instead of a mental attempt to arrive at a solution of the same question. At present the odds in favor of a tangible result being attained are largely on the side of the doers as against the talkers. The strikers say they have funds to support them in idleness, four weeks if necessary. There is no doubt that they can stay out at least two weeks, and this will probably suffice to bring about a concession of their demands. The large manufactories cannot afford to shut down for lack of coal. If the English mines cannot furnish a regular supply, the Belgian and German mines can, and when the British mine owners find their customers supplying themselves from abroad, they will be compelled to make terms with their men or sustain an irretrievable loss. This is what the miners rely upon, and past experience justifies their belief, for it has always been the case that with a rising or firm market of coal the English miner could force the mine owner to admit him to an increased share of the profits of the business.

THE MORSA COLLIERY DISASTER.

Forty-two bodies have been recovered from the ill-fated Morsa colliery in Wales. It is doubtful if the hundred odd remaining will ever be recovered, as fire has broken out afresh in the ruins.

FOR THE WIDOWS.

A daughter of the late oldest member of the House of Commons, Christopher Talbot, has, out of one of the largest fortunes in England, donated £2,500 for the relief of the women made widows by the Morsa disaster.

THE LIVERPOOL DOCKERS STRIKE.

The dockers on strike at Liverpool are becoming boisterous. Though the saloons within the municipal limits are closed on Sundays those in the suburbs were open yesterday, and were the headquarters for many a noisy assemblage. The strikers remain firm, and it was unanimously agreed to-day to continue the fight.

LUMBER COMBINATION.

The lumbermen of Bavaria and the upper provinces of Austria have formed a close combination, with a view to enhancing the price of their product.

THE STRIKE SITUATION.

The concessions granted to their employees by the smaller mine owners have had the effect of greatly weakening the position of those remaining out by reducing the aggregate number of strikers, and consequently detracting from the enormous importance of the movement. Nevertheless, the estimates made by the employers themselves show that upwards of 150,000 constitute the fighting force confronting them, and the fact that this formidable body is well supplied with funds and determined and able leaders, is also taken into consideration as evidence that the struggle must end in a compromise or a victory for the men after a bitter fight and perhaps bloodshed. That this view is taken by the masters is abundantly shown by their willingness to send a committee to meet a committee of the men on Thursday, despite their refusal to agree to a compromise at a meeting of the owners to-day. The employment of non-union colliers in Lancashire is causing trouble that may spread to other localities. The miners are firm and the masters are equally so. As yet there has been no violence to speak of, but the bitter feeling is increasing, and the police authorities, fearing disorder, have reinforced the constabulary wherever quarrels have arisen that promise to develop into active hostility.

THE NEW FRENCH MINISTRY.

The general opinion at continental capitals is that the new French ministry is a strong one. Indeed its strength is regarded as its only objectionable feature, menacing, as it does, its harmony and unanimity of policy. Including Premier De Freycinet himself, the cabinet comprises four ex-premiers, and the prediction is freely made that they will not be content to pull together for any considerable length of time. It would be strange if they should, for at different times, in the capacity of President of the Council, each has represented principles and advocated measures to which the others were opposed.

BERLIN'S SENSATION.

A tremendous sensation has been created in Berlin by the sentence of a professional midwife to seven years' imprisonment and the imposition of sentences of various degrees of severity upon several ladies of high families who were proven to have employed her to aid them in thwarting nature by Malthusian practices. When the woman was arrested some time ago stronh efforts were made on behalf of her patrons to prevent their case from coming to trial, but they were unavailing, chiefly because of the indignant protest of the agitators against discrimination of the law in favor of the rich.

WANTED BY THE POLICE.

Herr Markbreite, a prominent lawyer of Vienna, has been discovered to be a defaulter to the amount of £150,000. The police are after him, but thus far he has eluded arrest, and it is thought has fled the country.

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SENSELESS SNARLING.

The News-Advertiser in the most grudging and ungracious manner gives the Provincial Government credit for calculating upon a small surplus in its estimates for the year ending June 30th, 1891. It does not damn the administration with faint praise, but censures it while it pretends to be commending it. This sort of criticism is dishonest and unfair. It speaks of the "deficits" of former years as if the Government expended for ordinary purposes more than the ordinary revenue. Neither the late nor the present Government did this. The country needed public works of a permanent character and it borrowed money in order to construct them and to pay a large floating debt. Instead of keeping a capital account and charging permanent works against the loan, it appropriated part of the loan each year and used it as revenue. If it had adopted the system pursued at Ottawa it would each year have been able to show a surplus, although it had spent more than it had received. But it chose to adopt the system of book-keeping that told against itself. The people could see by glancing at the public accounts exactly how the province stood. There was no "capital account" in which to place large items of expenditure and to give the appearance of a surplus when there was really much more than the revenue expended. But the advantage of this system of bookkeeping is seen now. The country has permanent works and public buildings of one kind and another to show for the apparent deficits of each year. The works not only add to the comfort and convenience of the inhabitants of the province, but they actually increase their taxpaying capacity. The man who borrows a thousand dollars and with the money constructs a work that makes his property fifteen hundred dollars more valuable than it was before he incurred the debt cannot properly be said to have a deficit on that year's transactions. He owes a thousand dollars, it is true, but he has improvements that are worth far more than the money. The Government today is not hampered by a large floating debt. On the contrary, at the end of the year it had money in the bank, and it could show improvements to the value of many hundred of thousands of dollars which are of the greatest benefit to the people. When such is the state of things, where is the sense of snarling about "deficits." We are quite sure that the financial policy of the late and the present Government commends itself to the good sense of the whole people.

A PRACTICAL VIEW.

One of the principal objection — in fact the only really valid objection—to granting the charter applied for by the Spokane and Northern Railroad was that the roads built under them would divert the trade of the mining country from British Columbia to the United States. There was force in this objection, and those who had the granting of the charters gave to it all the weight its importance demanded. But we see that retaining the duty on mining machinery will have precisely the same effect. The following extract from the Kootenay Star of the 15th inst. puts the retention of the duty on mining machinery in a new light. Our contemporary says :—

"The Kootenay Mining and Smelting Co., or which is the same thing, the great Blue Bell or Hendryx mine, has had a professional expert to examine the property with reference to erecting a smelting plant for the reduction of their own ores. He recommends that one with a capacity of 350 tons of ore per day be put in, and the question is: Where shall it be located? Should the duties be removed from mining machinery it will undoubtedly be erected at the mine. If not, however, the probabilities are it will be taken to the American side of the boundary, between there and Bonner's Ferry, in order to avoid the Canadian tariff duties. This will most certainly be the case if the measure for smelting in bond should be adopted by the American congress. The Blue Bell people will gain more than this one advantage by locating south of the border—at Bonner's Ferry, for instance. They will there be in connection with the branch of the Northern Pacific from Kootenay station, and also with the Great Northern through line from Great Falls, Montana, to Spokane, and also the Pacific coast. The latter road will run through extensive mineral districts where some valuable mines have already been discovered, and could bring ores to the smelter during the winter, when navigation on the Kootenay river was closed."

Here we see the working of the duty on mining machinery from a practical point of view. The heavy duty will prevent the smelter being erected near the mines, and will cause the ores to be transported across the line, and there is no doubt that the rest of the trade connected with the mines will take the same direction as the ores. The metal, too, after it is smelted will reach the market by American channels, and the result will be to make part of British Columbia virtually American territory. This is the evil which the opponents of the charters desired most strongly to avert. But it appears that if the duty is retained their labor will have been in vain.

There is a way to avoid this consummation, so earnestly to be deprecated. The Star points it out in the following sentences:—

"What is wanted," it says, "more than all else and at once, is a removal of duty on mining machinery, because this would not only determine the location of the smelters on Canadian territory, but would settle the question of transportation of ores, to secure which railway men have been so eagerly seeking charters. The ores, if reduced at smelting works on Kootenay Lake would, of course, no longer need to be shipped either by the Spokane and Northern, or to the Canadian Pacific at Revelstoke."

This is the way to keep British Columbia trade in British Columbia, and to give British Columbians the full benefit of the mineral wealth with which their country abounds.

STRANGER THAN FICTION.

Byron is not generally considered a philosopher, yet few philosophers have said anything more profound than this apparent paradox to be found in Don Juan :

"'Tis strange but true, for truth is always strange :
Stranger than fiction."

Almost every day's experience proves that it is not possible for even genius to imagine stranger things than are done everywhere in real life. There are depths in the human heart that the profoundest thinkers cannot fathom.

If a novelist were to have for the villain of his plot the son of a clergyman, carefully brought up among the purest surroundings and educated at Oxford, who by false representations lured a young man to one of the colonies for the purpose of robbing him, and when he became troublesome deliberately decoyed him to a lonely place and murdered him in cold blood, he would be condemned by the critics for taking impossible views of life and describing what never did happen or could happen. If he went further and described this cold-blooded mercenary wretch as winning the affections of an accomplished young lady who had also been carefully reared amid elevating and refining influences, marrying her and using her to aid him in accomplishing his diabolical designs, his story would be considered still more unlike the truth. He would be accused of taking the most horribly absurd views of life and of creating characters that were manifestly impossible. Yet we find in the newspapers the details of a story quite as strange as this. It is, too, a story of our own time—of men and women who live now and of things that are said to have happened only the other day.

Reginald Burchell is described as being the youngest son of the late Rev. Joseph Burchell, rector of the church at Kirk near Accrington, rural dean and proctor of the convocation for the archdeaconry of Manchester. He fell in with a young man named F. C. Benwell, the son of Col. Benwell. He induced the lad to come with him to Canada, offering, for a sum of money, to teach him how to farm and to take him into partnership. He represented that he had a farm near Niagara and that he possessed considerable means. It is needless to say that he owned no property in Canada and that he had no money. He also persuaded another young man named Pelley to come out to America by similar representations for the same purpose. The four, Burchell and his wife, Benwell and Pelley, came to America in the same ship, the Britannic. When they came to this country Burchell kept up the deception. He talked to the young Englishmen about his place and what he intended to do, but on one pretext and another delayed paying it a visit. These conversations often took place in the presence of Burchell's wife, who acquiesced in all that her husband said, and, by observations which she made to Pelley, led him to believe that her husband had a farm, at which they were all soon going to reside. She spoke of the lonesomeness of living on the farm, and told him of improvements that she intended to make in fitting up the house. After they had been in Canada a short time F. C. Benwell was missing. His trunks and other luggage were in Burchell's possession, and he wanted to send them to New York. The body of a young man, pierced with bullets, was accidentally discovered in a very lonely place. On the body was found a cigar case with the name, F. C. Benwell, written upon it. Burchell was shown the cigar case and he went and identified the body as that of a young man with whom he had crossed the Atlantic. Suspicion fell upon Burchell. It was found that he, with a young man that answered the description of Benwell, had been in the train to Eastwood, near where the murder was committed, and that was the last seen of poor Benwell. Pelly had been with Burchell and his wife up to the time when Benwell was missed. The detective found him, and the evidence which he gave was most important. He, too, was brought out by Burchell as a pigeon to be plucked and he now thinks that it was providential that he did not meet with the same fate as Benwell. He believes that Burchell was only waiting for a favorable opportunity to get him out of the way. A significent circumstance is that Col. Benwell, the murdered man's father, received a letter from Burchell, which was not dated, but posted on the 20th of February, three days after his son had been murdered, telling him that his son was very much pleased with the country and that he wanted to go into partnership with the writer immediately. It required five hundred pounds to do this, and Burchell requested that it be sent immediately. It so happened that the unhappy man received a telegraphic message, telling him of the murder of his son some days before the letter arrived.

Of course Burchell's antecedents were enquired into, and it was found that some time before he had resided in Woodstock, Ontario, giving out that he was Lord Somerset. He then lived in a style becoming his title.

It is a little surprising to see how easily this adventurer duped men of intelligence and experience like Col. Benwell and the father of the young man Pelly. They appear to have believed all that he told them, and to have trusted him implicitly. It is said that the accused man is, as far as outward appearance goes, a gentleman, and that his manners are more than commonly pleasing. The strange story would be altogether incredible if the main features of it were not testified to on oath by persons whom it would be folly not to believe. There was, at first, some doubt as to the identity of Burchell. But that appears to have been altogether dispelled. It was said that he is the son of a London livery stable keeper, but it has been found that he is the son of a clergyman, and that he was married on November 9th, 1888, to Florence Stevenson, fourth daughter of Duval Stevenson, Moberly Road, Upper Norwood. The evidence against Burchell is very strong indeed, but that against his wife is not of so damaging a nature. She is, however, to be tried as accessory to the crime of which her husband stands accused. Here are the materials of a sensational romance without introducing into it a single word of fiction.

EDITORIAL COMMENTS.

THE following is one of the Toronto Globe's editorial paragraphs :

The limit of Sabbatarianism seems to have been reached by the late Dr. Adler, Chief Rabbi in the Jewish Church in England. He would not, it is said, carry a pocket-handkerchief on the Sabbath, nor hold an umbrella over his head to keep off the rain. Inasmuch, however, as he had his servant perform these offices for him, the Rabbi's scruples were not so unlike those of some Sunday-keeping Christians.

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DRAKE, JACKSON & CO., Solicitors for the Applicant. Victoria, Jan. 30, 1890. jy31-6w

NOTICE.

DURING MY TEMPORARY ABSENCE from the Province, Mr. H. E. Croasdaile holds my power of attorney, and will attend to the Canada Life Assurance and other business. my9-1yr A. W. JONES.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that application will be made to the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia, at its present session, for an act to incorporate a company, to be called the "Canadian Pacific Fire Insurance Company, Limited," for the purpose of carrying on a general fire insurance business within the province of British Columbia.

Dated at Victoria, the 28th day of January, A. D. 1890.

CHARLES WILSON, jy29 Solicitor for Applicants.

"LAND REGISTRY ACT."

Lots 3 and 16 of Part of Section LXXVI., Victoria District.

WHEREAS, the Certificate of Title of Frederick Whatley Wood to the above lots, bearing date the 7th day of May, 1862, has been lost, and application has been made for a duplicate of such certificate.

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C. J. LEGGATT, Registrar-General.

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JAMES BEATY, Solicitor for the "Confederation Life Association." Toronto, 3rd December, 1889. d12-2m

NOTICE.

Messrs. Crane, McGregor & Boggs, of Broad St., Victoria, have this day been appointed the agents of The Citizens Insurance Company of Canada, for Vancouver Island, and are the only persons entitled to receive premiums due to the said Company and transact their business on said Island.

Mr. E. A. Hart is no longer in the service of this Company.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., 21st February, 1890.

The Citizens Insurance Co. of Canada.

By their duly authorized agent. fy22-1m H. ABBOTT.

NOTICE.

All persons are hereby notified not to deposit Ashes or any Refuse Matter on or over the bank in the vicinity of the public highway between Beacon Hill and Ross Bay. Any person convicted of so doing will be punished as the law directs.

F. G. VERNON, Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

Lands and Works Department, Victoria, B.C., 27th Feb. 1890. m1

Dissolution of Partnership.

NOTICE is hereby given that the partnership hitherto existing between St. Clair Blackett and Frederick George White, carrying on business in Langley, B. C., as general merchants, under the firm name of Blackett & White, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent. All duly certified liabilities of the late firm will be paid at the Bank of B. C., New Westminster, and all outstanding accounts can be paid to either of the late firm, or to the Bank of B. C., New Westminster.

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THE REV. H. KINGHAM'S REPLY TO "HISTORY."

To the Editor:—The replies of your correspondent, "History," to two of my lectures upon the Reformation, whilst on the surface appearing very plausible, are so utterly without foundation that, in fairness to my subject, I beg that you, Mr. Editor, will allow me the privilege of making a reply.

Taking "History's" statements in chronological order I beg to remind him that the Fathers of the Council of Arles, which council was called by the Emperor Constantine, never conceived the Bishop of Rome to have any jurisdiction over themselves, otherwise they would not have enacted canons without him. British bishops were present at this council as the Bishop of Rome's equals. At the Council of Nicea, A. D. 325, the Bishop of Rome's patriarchate was recognized as extending over the churches of Middle and Southern Italy, Sardinia and Corsica, therefore the Bishop of Rome's jurisdiction did not extend over the whole of Italy, much less could it have included Britain.

Then "History" reminds me that Augustine was sent to Kent by Pope Gregory. Surely "History" does not need to be reminded that the British bishops would not submit to Augustine's authority. When Augustine received the Archbishopric of Canterbury it was not as a lieutenant of the Roman Pontiff, but as an independent bishop of a see which had never been included in the patriarchate of Rome. Augustine was consecrated by French bishops; Gregory ordered that for the future the archbishop should be consecrated in England. The English Church was therefore complete in itself.

"History" gives a long list of quotations from the early fathers, but not one of them proves his point, viz., that the early bishops of Rome claimed the power which Pope Hildebrand asserted when he carried out the principles of the forged decretals. Each quotation demonstrates what I stated in the lecture, that the bishop had only a PRIMACY OF HONOUR. Gregory himself disclaimed the title "Universal Pope."

The Archbishops of Canterbury and York were generally appointed by the king, elected by the clergy or cathedral chapter, and consecrated in England, until King Henry I. surrendered the right of appointing bishops to the Pope.

"History" implies that historians of every class (Protestant and Catholic alike) assert that the Roman Catholic faith was the religion of England prior to the Reformation. I would refer "History" to an article entitled "The English Church under Henry the Eighth," written by the ex-Premier of England, and published in the November (1889) number of "The Nineteenth Century" magazine. Mr. Gladstone says: "The principle and basis of its (i. e., 16th century) main proceedings in religion have been IMPERFECTLY TRACED by many of our writers under the double influence of insufficient access to information and of exuberant partisanship. The facts, complex in themselves and but partially known, have been inaccurately handled even within the limits of that partial knowledge. But A NEW DAY HAS DAWNED, with that fresh access to the sources which has been opened by the publication on a large scale of authentic records; and this has occurred simultaneously with that great extension of historical studies and historical appetite among us, which may almost be called the rise of a new historical school." Therefore, in the course of a few years "History" may be still more surprised to find that his one-sided arguments will not bear investigation.

With regard to my remarks about the legal continuity of the English Church, your correspondent preserves a discreet silence. He contents himself with twisting the language of two of the statutes, which were aimed at the suppression of the papal pretensions in England, so as to make them imply what they were never intended to mean; but he is apparently ignorant of the famous statutes of Premunire, which gave the papacy the heaviest blow in the fourteenth century, and which were the harbingers of King Henry VIII. Act of Supremacy.

"History" would have your readers believe that the English Church began when it formally acknowledged Henry as protector; but Mr. Gladstone's remark upon this subject will probably enlighten him. He says it "was an act of unusual importance and solemnity, because it was not the mere establishment of a certain legal doctrine which might be affirmed to-day and denied to-morrow, and which was without authority both before the affirmation and after the denial; but it was the assertion and recognition of a prerogative descended from immemorial time, in lawful existence before as well as after the enactment."

Our venerable sister church (the Church of Rome) calls us HERETICAL, not on the ground that we do not hold and profess the same old creeds which both of us in common with the Holy Eastern Church have alike INHERITED, but because forsooth, we do not accept certain ADDITIONS to the Apostolic Faith, made on her sole authority, but not sanctioned by any General Council, not taught by the Fathers, and never accepted by the Greek Church. These novelties are forever ruled out in advance by the Fourth General Council (Chalcedon A. D. 431), which decreed that any bishop or presbyter who should teach any different faith than that which is formulated in the Nicene creed should be deposed.

But since then the Roman Church has added to the faith a number of doctrines which the Undivided Church has always either disallowed or else regarded as indifferent; viz., the creed of Pius IV., which carries with it the decrees of Trent, some 500 in all; the dogma of the Immaculate Conception of the Blessed Virgin, which was never believed by the early church, or the churches of England and the East, which St. Augustine in 4th century, and Bernard in the 12th century, and Thomas Aquinas in the 13th century, emphatically denied; and last of all, A. D. 1870, the doctrine of the Personal Infallibility of the Bishops of Rome—a doctrine never allowed in the early church, the Greek church or the English, and admittedly an open question among the Paptists till nineteen years ago.

I would also remind "History" that Pope Pius IV., A. D. 1559, wrote a letter to Queen Elizabeth, in which he acknowledged the English Bible, the Book of Common Prayer, Ordinal, &c., "to be authentic and not repugnant to truth; and that he would allow it to the English church WITHOUT CHANGING ANY PART OF IT, if only her majesty would acknowledge to receive it from him and by his allowance." If we Anglicans were not heretics then, we certainly are not now, for we have neither added to nor detracted from the faith we then held. H. KINGHAM.

MORE TESTIMONY.

To the Editor:—As a lady, I feel impelled to exonerate Dr. McGregor from the charge of incivility. Frequently when standing at the counter to exchange a book, I have admired the method and the courtesy with which he carried on his work, and when I have been looking at the magazines at the side table, he has left his desk, in a less busy moment, and came up, entirely of his own accord, to ask me if I wished to change a book.

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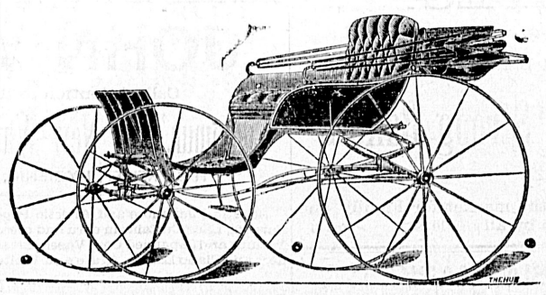

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CITY POLICE COURT.

(Before Hon. A. N. Richards, P. M.)

A strong army of culprits consisting of drunks, vagrants, etc., stood up in the police court yesterday morning.

A keeper of a house of ill-fame was fined $50.

The next cases called were the drunks, seven in number, and consisting of Indians and whites, some pleading guilty, some not guilty, and some that they were only a little drunk. It did not make any difference, however, and they each paid $5. In reference to one of the drunks, named Jas Dunn, Chief Sheppard said that he had acted in a most disgraceful manner while in the cell, and that he had struck one of the Caffire boys with a slat off his bunk. He was fined $5 extra for his fun.

Phillip Chalk, who was up "once before," was fined $20, or in default two months hard labor. On leaving the dock Phillip said: "Your honor, the fine will not be paid," and then turning to an Indian woman he said in Chinook, "Look out for my house; I am going to the 'seucum house' house for two months. I won't pay the fine."

J. Riley and P. Evans, charged with fighting on Government street, pleaded not guilty and were remanded until today.

LITTLE LOCALS.

Perfection Cake and Pie Tins at R. A. Brown & Co.'s, Douglas street.

Monogram and visiting cards engraved at the THE COLONIST office.

Mr. Dee took charge of the Y.M.C.A. meetings on Sunday.

Work is advancing well on Keller & Burris' new pottery.

A large lathe arrived over by the Islander on Sunday night for the Albion Iron Works.

Stationery at Daley's, 91 Douglas St.

Three more cases of fine bird cages at McLennan & McFeely's, 70 Yates St.

Shaker Flour Sifters at R. A. Brown & Co.'s, Douglas street.

The Mendelssohn Quintette Club went over to Vancouver this morning by the Islander.

Wm. Travers, of Tacoma, and Miss Maud McGregor, of Seattle, were married in this city last evening.

The "ENDLESS WEAR" knit hose for boys at the CITY HOUSE.

Porcelain Cereal and Fruit steamers, all sizes, at R. A. Brown & Co.'s, Douglas street.

For Sheffield razors pocket knives, scissors, table cutlery, etc., go to M. & H. A. Fox, 78 Government street.

T. L. Grahame, recently appointed lieutenant of No. 1 battery, B.C.B.G.A., has resigned his commission.

To keep the house warm use the Champion Weather Strip, for sale by J. P. Burgess, No. 10 Broughton street.

Stoves, tinware and house furnishing goods at McLennan & McFeely's, 70 Yates street.

Bolton, the lecturer, will give a series of entertainments here under the auspices of the Y.M.C.A. in May.

A fine lot of all kinds of brushes, dusters, whisks, brooms, mops, etc., at McLennan & McFeely's, 70 Yates street.

The Pacific express was 12 hours delayed in reaching Vancouver yesterday, and in consequence there was no eastern mail received last night.

Take your misfitting suits to the "Victoria Tailoring and Dyeing Establishment," there they can be made to fit you at a small cost. Jno. T. Pierre, prop., 96 Yates street.

The widow of the late Frank Sehl has been presented with a handsomely engrossed and appropriately worded expression of condolence by the Pioneer Society.

If you are intending going East, make a note of the C. P. R. excursions and specially fitted colonist sleepers. First-class travel at second-class rates. Robt. Irving, agent. tf

Miss McLaughlin, trained nurse, has removed her residence to No. 52 Quebec St. Any orders directed to that address or left at Kellogg's drug store, cor. Douglas and Yates streets, will receive prompt attention 1w

Messrs. Allsop & Mason, of the B. C. Land and Investment Agency, have not yet decided on plans for their new building to be erected on the premises adjoining the Vancouver hotel.

The finest line of perfumes, toilet sets and fancy soaps, etc., is to be had at John Teague, Jr.'s drug store, Poodle Dog block, Yates street. Prescriptions carefully compounded at any hour of the day or night. Telephone call 469.

U. S. Vice-Consul Marvin on Saturday last received official notification from the Secretary of State of the appointment of Levi P. Meyers to the consulship of Victoria. The date of Mr. Meyers' arrival in Victoria is not announced.

CHILDRENS' EXTRA STRONG RIBBED JASHMERE HOSE, Spliced knees, knee cap ankles and feet, at the CITY HOUSE. tf

Advertising does pay and send your orders for coal to Central Coal office, 90 Government street. Telephone call, No. 171. A. HEATHORN.

Philip Chalk, who was fined $20 or in default two months' with hard labor in the police court yesterday morning and who swore that he would serve the two months and not pay the fine, changed his mind late last night and deposited the $20. Philip evidently came to the conclusion that he wasn't any good at working with a chain on his leg.

The old and familiar handwriting of Frank Campbell, editor of the Bulletin, was noticed on the "corner" yesterday morning, for the first time in several weeks. Some say that Frank couldn't miss putting up the St. Patrick's day notice under the little bunch of shamrock, an item which he has written every year for the last quarter of a century.

CUTTING prices on furniture seems to be the order of the day. Not wishing to be outdone by anybody, JACOB SEHL has decided to enter the cutting field and cut down prices 10 per cent. lower than any other firm, on the largest and best assorted stock in the province, of furniture, carpets, linoleum, matting, window blinds, crockery, glassware, lamps, etc. Call and convince yourself at Nos. 66 and 68 Government street.

LOCAL AND PROVINCIAL.

One Hundred Dollars.

Is the first prize in Russell, McDonald & Co.'s spring drawing.

Conversazione.

This evening one of these popular and agreeable entertainments will be given in the school room of the Reformed Episcopal church, where a fine musical programme will be discussed. A pleasurable and sociable time is assured to all who attend.

Provincial Court.

H. Franklin, charged with stealing a lot of woodchopper's tools from Wm. McDowell, was up in the provincial court yesterday morning. After the evidence of the prosecution had been taken the accused was remanded until Saturday, he being allowed out on his own recognizances in the sum of $100.

St. Patrick's Day.

The day especially devoted to Erin's patron saint was ushered in yesterday with plenty of bright sunshine and plenty of shamrock and green ribbon. Services were, as usual, held in St. Andrew's R. C. Pro-Cathedral, and every true Irish lad or colleen in the city celebrated the day in a merry and becoming fashion.

Young People's Association.

The Young People's Association of the Pandora street Methodist church met in the Sunday school room last evening and appointed a committee to arrange for holding Sunday services at Russell's station. The young people also discussed the advisability of forming an a branch of the Epworth League in the city.

A Reminiscense.

Just 28 years ago yesterday the steamer Enterprise, which was then considered to be one of the best boats on the coast, made her first trip to New Westminster, the route which she traveled until about three years ago, when she was run into by the R. P. Rithet off Ten Mile Point and towed into Cadboro Bay, where she now lies, very little being visible of her.

The Sportive Trout.

Sunday saw an exodus of city fishermen to all the lakes and streams in the vicinity where the sportive trout might be beguiled into taking the fly. Sooke Lake was found to be frozen over, but Deadman's River and Matheson's Lake, Metchosin, contributed good strings. One fish, caught at the latter place and weighing two pounds, was on exhibition at "The Corner" yesterday.

North-Bound Travelers.

The City of Puebla, due this evening from San Francisco, has on board the following passengers for Victoria: E. Ramsey, R. D. Atkins, Mrs. D. Robertson, Mrs. Dickmard, E. Percy, T. G. Arl, Mrs. Loewen and daughter, R. Horton, wife and child, J. Sharp, Mrs. T. Wild, A. J. Mill and wife, Miss R. Supperella, A. Albutt, Mrs. R. Woodhill, Mrs. Haynes, Miss D. Cooke, C. Webber, H. Kenely, S. Totten, Rev. O. German.

A Feast of Music.

For the double treat afforded the public in the form of the two Mendelssohn concerts, the music-loving public owe their hearty thanks to the Y. M. C. A. It is satisfactory to know that the financial results of the concerts were most encouraging. Last evening's programme was fully equal to Saturday's, and the enthusiasm displayed by the critical and fashionable audience was almost unbounded. A return concert by the Mendelssohns would be very acceptable to Victorians, but it is doubtful if one can be arranged, as the musicians' Western dates are already well filled.

The Caffire Children.

The three little Caffire boys appeared in the city police court again yesterday morning, charged with vagrancy. The little fellows, whose ages are 8, 12 and 14 respectively, looked really ill, and Chief Sheppard informed the magistrate that they were likely to become consumptive, if that fatal disease has not already taken hold of them.

Caffire, the father of the little boys, was in court, and said that there was plenty to eat in the house, but that the boys would not stay home, and he was arranging to have them sent to the mission school at Cowichan. His Honor decided to let the boys go, but informed Caffire that if something was not done he would see if he could not do something to their father. Caffire has agreed to let his little girl be adopted by a neighbor.

No Fear of Failure.

At the Sir William Wallace Society rooms last evening about forty young ladies and gentlemen were actively engaged in the rehearsal of the pretty opera, Erminie, with everything running smoothly,—much more so than is usually the case with amateur work. It has been decided to put the piece on the boards on the evening of April 14th, the proceeds of the performance being devoted to the B. C. Benevolent Society. Forty voices will compose the strength of the company, with a cast of sixteen and chorus of twenty-four. A grand soldiers chorus, with full military band, will form one of the features of the performance, while the old-fashioned gavotte will be another. Costumes have been ordered from San Francisco, and nothing will be left undone to make the opera "go," and "go" well.

Street Cars a Public Boon.

Owing to the convenience afforded by the new street cars, the undersigned have decided to reduce their prices for city tuning.

Single tuning $2.50, four times a year $8.00.

FROM OUR FAVORITE BARITONE.

Dear Sir,—The piano bought from you a year ago for the Young People's Association of the First Presbyterian Church, has given satisfaction in every way. The test has been a severe one, the instrument having been in the school-room subjected to all kinds of temperature with only a cloth cover. The organist, Miss Stephen, as well as the various instrumentalists who have used it are united in praising its action and tone. I can only add that I enjoy singing a song, when the accompaniment is played on a "Goodwin."

Yours faithfully, JOHN G. BROWN,
Choirmaster First Presbyterian Church, Victoria.

I have much pleasure, after thoroughly trying the Goodwin & Jordan pianos, in testifying to their excellence, pureness of tone and smoothness of touch, the latter reminding me of the best concert grands manufactured in England and America, and for an upright piano I consider the Goodwin & Jordan one of the best I have met with during my extended travels.

Yours truly, ADA HEINE.

Victoria, B. C., Jan. 7, 1889.

The above testimonials and several others may be seen at the factory, corner of Fort and Broad streets.

Telephone 98. GOODWIN & Co.

Geo. Francis Train's Trip.

A large party of excursionists will accompany George Francis Train on the Olympian from Tacoma to-day, and after seeing him transferred to the Abyssinia will come on to Victoria, spend the night here and return to Tacoma on Wednesday morning. Train's lecture in Tacoma Saturday night realized $4,158, which will be ample to pay the expenses of his trip around the globe. The programme for the commencement of his journey has been thus arranged: Precisely at 6 o'clock this morning he toes a line in front of the Ledger office, Tacoma, and at a given signal will make a jump for a carriage in waiting. Stop watches will mark the exact time to a fraction of a second at which he starts. Immediately after entering the carriage he will be driven at a slapping pace to the wharf, where the Olympian with steam up and her nose pointing down Sound will be ready and when Train steps on board not a second will be lost in starting the steamer down the Sound at full speed. Off Victoria Train will be transferred to Abyssinia with as little delay as possible, and then the Olympian will come on to Victoria.

Aid to Navigation.

The Dominion steamer S. J. Douglas leaves to-day on her first trip this year ty Pt. Atkinson, to bring down the spare boiler and machinery for the fog alarm, Discovery Island. The contractor will be through with the buildings in a few days. Mr. H. G. Lewis will leave also and call at all the stations.

Fire Notes.

Fire Companies Nos. 1 and 3 have taken up their quarters at the new station between Pandora and Cormorant streets.

A new description of lighter, formed of asbestos, is in use in the John Grant engine, and works well. The horses are also tied in their stalls with patent straps, working from an electric bar, which releases them as soon as an alarm is sounded.

A Doubtful Story.

Fred. J. Richards, a professional shoeblack employed at Whittaker's barber shop, reported to the police yesterday that he had been robbed of $40 on Sunday night. The money, he alleged, had been abstracted from beneath his pillow by a fellow boarder, with whom he was drinking in his room. The boarder's room was searched, and a hypodermic syringe and a quantity of morphine was found, but no money. The police are inclined to think that neither Richards nor the man he accuses had $40 in their possession, and that the robbery was a myth.

Along the Docks.

Steam-schr. G. H. Chance, Capt. Adams, arrived in the harbor yesterday morning to take on coal and supplies. The Chance belongs to Port Townsend and is out on a fishing cruise.

Steamer Maude brought down a load of coal for the C. P. N. Co. yesterday.

Schooner Carmelite, Capt. Cutler, which left North Sydney, C. B., Dec. 14th for this port, was spoken Feb. 5th in lat. 30 south, and all well.

Steamer City of Puebla is due from San Francisco to-day.

Ship Willie Reid has been chartered to load lumber at Hasting's mills for South America.

Robert Ward & Co's Monthly Freight and Shipping Report for February is to hand. Since date of last report rates for both grain and lumber tonnage have remained very firm, and at the close of the month, the indications are that the present state of affairs is likely to last for some time to come. Lumber tonnage especially is in good demand, with a limited supply, and, in consequence, rates are even firmer than at the date of last quotations. The Report gives a list of the rates on grain, coal and lumber, the charters effected during the month, and the clearances from Burrard Inlet, Victoria, Nanaimo, Departure Bay and Puget Sound.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. S. Maclure, of Matsqui, is in the city.

Jno. Gray, of Chemainus, is at the Clarence.

Ald. and Mrs. Jacques, of New Westminster, are in the city.

J. J. Mackay, of Asheroft, is registered at the Clarence.

C. D. Rand and W. C. Haywood, of Vancouver, are at the Driard.

E. A. and R. A. Jenns were passengers from Westminster last evening.

W. Gill, inspector of Inland revenue, went over to the mainland this morning.

W. B. Townsend and wife, of Westminster, returned home by the Islander this morning.

Dr. Orpha D. Baldwin returned last evening from Westminster, where her lectures were very well received.

Captain E. Grey Hulton, of H.M.S. Amphion, and Mrs. Hulton have moved down to Esquimalt, in close proximity to the ship in drydock.

Henry Fry, M. P. P. for Cowichan, was in the House yesterday, for the first time during the session. His recent illness has left him pale and weak.

PUBLIC MEETING AT KAMLOOPS.

A public meeting was held at Kamloops on Thursday evening last to take such steps as might be necessary to maintain a proper sanitary condition in the town; to take action in the matter of securing the establishment of a registry office, and also of a high school if possible; and the organization of a branch of the mainland association. It was pointed out that a health committee might be empowered to look after the sanitary condition of the town, and that the Lieut.-Governor would be pleased to make the appointment of such a committee on the presentation of a petition from the inhabitants of the place asking for it.

It was decided to petition the Lieut.-Governor to make the appointment, and Messrs. W. H. Whittaker and Jas. Vair were appointed a committee to draft the petition and solicit signatures to it.

The securing of a registry office for Kamloops was next considered. After some discussion it was decided to ask the local representatives in the provincial legislature to bring the matter before the government, and W. H. Whittaker, F. H. Robson and Dr. Tunstall were appointed a committee to draft the petition and have it forwarded to the representatives in parliament at once.

It was decided to form a branch of the association, to known as the Kamloops Branch of the Mainland Association, and the following officers and executive were elected:

President—Dr. Tunstall.
Secretary—J. S. Bennet.
Executive committee—F. H. Robson, W. H. Whittaker, R. E. Smith, M. P. Gordon, J. E. Saucier, H. Smith, Jas. McIntosh, J. A. Mara, George Munro.

The high school question was not discussed, and the meeting adjourned.

INTERIOR NEWS.

(From the Inland Sentinel.)

Stock in the Spallumcheen valley are reported in good condition.

Mrs. Craig, relict of the late John Craig, of Ashcroft, died at the residence of Mrs. Nelson on Wednesday. She came to town for treatment after having been ill for over a month with la grippe, but was beyond medical aid.

Another pioneer has crossed the great divide, in the person of Vincent Petit, a native of Pickard, France, who came to the province during the gold excitement of '58. He died on the 5th inst. at Lower Nicola, which place he has made his home for some years past. The deceased was 80 years of age.

Mr. J. N. J. Brown, of Chilcoten, paid a visit to Kamloops this week, and expressed himself as well pleased with the thriving appearance of the town. He reports a severe winter in the Chilcoten valley, with a heavy fall of snow. No serious loss of stock is anticipated, however, as there was plenty of feed in the country and the ranges will afford plenty of provender when the snow leaves.

Copies of the Sunday editions of this paper may in future be had at Whittaker's barber shop.

RAGS—Five cents a pound will be paid for clean cotton rags delivered in the pressroom of THE COLONIST.

A New Quaker.

One of these celebrated brick machines, for sale by Spratt & Gray.

ECCENTRIC TRAIN.

The Latest Globe-Circler, and a Reminiscense of His Former Visit to Victoria.

To-day George Francis Train, the prince of American eccentricities, will leave Tacoma on his globe-circling tour by the fast steamer Olympian, which will transfer him and the little baggage he carries with him to the s.s. Abyssinia in the Straits. Port Inspector Young, of Victoria, who has given permission for the meeting of the steamers, will be on board the Abyssinia to see that all customs regulations are complied with, and will afterward return to Victoria with the pilot boat. The full number of passengers authorized to be carried by the Olympian have been already booked to accompany Train to the decks of the ocean liner, and there wish him a merry and successful trip.

Train and his peculiarities have furnished food for American paragraphers, and laughter for the American public, for the last quarter of a century. All old-timers will remember the excitement of the Fenian scarce of 1869, when George Francis, after delivering inflammatory speeches galore in San Francisco was reported to be coming to Victoria with an armed force to lay waste the city and the island. Sentries were posted all along the shore from Esquimalt to Cadboro Bay, and for days Victorians, metaphorically, slept on their arms.

The final arrival of the invader is chronicled as follows in the local columns of THE COLONIST of July 10, 1869:

GEORGE FRANCIS TRAIN.

This eccentric genius arrived at 1 o'clock Saturday morning per steamer Wilson G. Hunt, but did not come ashore until 5 o'clock, at which hour, finding the stores still closed, he remarked to a newspaper carrier: "No wonder the country don't prosper—the people get up too late." About 8 o'clock Mr. Train took up his quarters at the American Hotel, and soon a stream of curious visitors poured in to take a look at the strange animal. To all visitors Train was exceedingly affable, expressing himself as highly delighted at meeting so many sturdy representatives of John Bull. He talked incessantly of himself, strove to impress upon all who came near the important "fact" that he will be president of the United States in 1872. In person Train is comely, but he has an egotistical swagger, and a self-conceited smirk, which are anything but pleasant. Train remained until 9 o'clock, when the Hunt took her departure for Puget Sound, bearing the great tongue warrior from our shores. Train left the following note, addressed to us, to be delivered after his departure:

ON BOARD STR. WILSON G. HUNT,
VICTORIA, July 10, 1869.

EDITOR COLONIST:—Off for Seattle, Olympia and Dublin, Ireland. Have to express thanks for press hospitalities. A yacht, a plate, a carriage and a room await you at my summer villa at Newport this summer. GEORGE FRANCIS TRAIN.

To which we returned the following telegram:

COLONIST OFFICE,
VICTORIA, July 10, 1869.

George Francis Train, Seattle:—
Invitation accepted. Especially the plate, if heavy. THE EDITOR.

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

LACROSSE.

Canada's national game will boom in Victoria this year,—that is if the big attendance and enthusiasm displayed at the annual meeting of the club, held last night, mean anything at all. In the absence of the president, Mr. A. C. Flummerfelt, Mr. S. Lowe, whose parlors were kindly thrown open to the club for the purposes of the meeting, was voted to the chair.

Minutes of a previous meeting having been confirmed, the election of officers for 1890-91 was proceeded with, and the following were selected to direct the fortunes of the club during the coming season: President, D. W. Morrow; 1st vice-president, W. G. Mackenzie; 2nd vice-president, Skene Lowe; secretary, W. H. Cullin; treasurer, R. W. Clarke; captain, A. E. Wade; managing committee—W. Sprinkling, W. J. Leddingham, J. Cox and the before-mentioned officers.

A communication from the New Westminster club, in reference to the formation of a provincial lacrosse association was discussed, and W. H. Cullin was named as the representative of Victoria at a conference to be held at Vancouver to decide the matter referred to.

Next in order came a letter from the "Torontos" in reference to their proposed visit to Victoria, in connection with their Pacific Coast tour, which was held over for further consideration.

The standard uniform of the club for 1890 was, on motion, decided to consist of white caps, navy blue shirts and pants, and scarlet stockings,—the red, white and blue.

After votes of thanks had been passed to the retiring officers, and sincere regret had been expressed at the sickness of the retiring treasurer, Mr. F. W. Robson, an adjournment was taken at 10 o'clock.

The meeting for the formation of a Provincial Association will probably be held at Vancouver on Saturday evening next.

FOOTBALL (RUGBY).

The following is the team selected to play New Westminster in the match next Saturday to take place here: H. B. Rogers, full back; W. A. Ward, H. J. Martin, W. Allison, three-quarter backs; E. Miller, G. Wilson, half-backs; L. Crease, W. H. Langley, H. C. Burstall, W. Kennedy, W. Fisher, M. H. Tytler, C. W. Rhodes, W. Clarke and E. E. Billinghurst, forwards.

In the match played between Vancouver and New Westminster last Saturday, the former won by one try to nil.

THE OAR.

Considerable interest is taken in the great English university boat race, which takes place on March 26th, over the course from Putney to Mortlake, the same as has been used for the last quarter of a century on March 26th. Betting at last accounts stood 11 to 10 on Oxford. The odds are increasing on the Cantabs owing to the fine show they have been making on the practice. The races were established in 1836, and since then Oxford has won 23 times, and Cambridge 22, with one race a dead heat. The following are the teams for this year with weights:

Oxford—W. F. C. Holland, 10 stones 10 pounds; H. E. L. Puxley, 11 s. 10lbs.; R. P. P. Rowe, 11 s. 8 lbs.; C. St. J. Hornby, 11 s. 13 lbs.; Lord Ampthill, 13 s. 7 lbs.; W. F. C. Drake, 12 s. 7 lbs.; G. Nickalls, 12 s. 10 lbs.; W. A. L. Fletcher, 12 s. 10 lbs.; J. P. H. Lonsdale (cox), 8 s. 11 lbs.

Cambridge—C. S. Storrs, 10 stones, 7 pounds; J. M. Sladen, 11 s. 8 lb.; E. T. Fison, 12 s. 4½ lb.; J. F. Rowlatt, 12 s. 12½ lb.; A. S. Duffield, 12 s. 9½ lb.; S. D. Muttlebury, 14 s. 7 lb.; G. Franckyln, 12 s. 1½ lb.; G. Elm, 10 s. 7½ lb.; H. W. Laidlay (cox.), 8 s. 10 lb.

BASEBALL.

The Kamloops team for the baseball season will be made up as follows: Watson, catcher; March, pitcher; Nash, 1st base; Crawford, 2nd base; Herchimer, 3rd base; McCrum, short stop; Schoonemaker, middle field; Chesley, right field; Ganzelle, left field; Watson, pitcher.

WRESTLING.

The match at Nanaimo on Saturday night between Richardson and Woodburn was won by the latter. A good deal of Victoria and Vancouver money was lost on the match.

HERE AND THERE.

Prof. Foster will take 24 young athletes with him to give the exhibition at Vancouver next Saturday.

Boating on Victoria Arm has already commenced, and several young oarsmen are training for the May races.

A fine yacht of 30 tons is to be built here this summer for a party of four young Victorians.

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